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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Jocelyn Boyd Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina Synergy Business Park, Saluda Building 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210

Re: Joint Application for Authority to Transfer Intercompany Assets and for Approval of Accounting Authority on behalf of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC - And Request for Expedited Consideration

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed for filing please find Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (the "Companies") Joint Application for Authority to Transfer Intercompany Assets and for approval of Accounting Authority ("Application") with request for expedited review.

The Companies submit this Application in advance of a major planned outage scheduled for early spring 2019 and respectfully request expedited consideration of the Application to ensure approval ahead of the transfer and planned maintenance.

The Application was provided to the Office of Regulatory Staff for review prior to this filing. Should you have any questions, please contact me.

Kind regards,

Sam Wellborn

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Enclosure

cc w/enc: Jeffrey M. Nelson, ORS Chief Legal Officer (via email)

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